

ELECTION 1976

The Hall of Fame for Great Americans

Form of Proposal for Candidates

Any citizen of the United States may propose the name of a man or woman who was a citizen and who has been deceased twenty-five years or more. Nominations must be made between April 1, 1975, and April 1, 1976. In the 1973 Election, the following candidates received twenty votes or more, and, by reason of that fact, their names will appear upon the 1976 ballot without the formality of a new nomination:

Clara Barton, Andrew Carnegie, Jefferson Davis, Henry Ford,
George Gershwin, Adolph S. Ochs, John Frank Stevens,
Noah Webster, William Henry Welch

Name of candidate Clara Barton (Clarissa Harlowe Barton)

Date and place of birth 1821, North Oxford, Massachusetts

Date and place of death 1912, ?

Grounds on which the nomination is made. (Elaborate data are not necessary, but published sources of further information may be cited.)

I should like to endorse the name
of Clara Barton who was nominated in
1973. She still is a symbol of heroic
womanhood, who devoted her life to human-
itarian works. She founded the American
Red Cross in 1881, after nursing the wounded
in the Civil War. Her home in Glen Echo, Md.,
was Red Cross headquarters from 1897-1904.
In this era of "woman's lib," she reminds us
all of the true womanly spirit.

Name and address of proposer Mrs. Gordon H. Miller, 1321 E. Costilla Ave.

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NAMES IN THE HALL OF FAME FOR GREAT AMERICANS

The names to be inscribed in the Hall of Fame are chosen every three years by a College of Electors consisting of approximately one hundred American men and women of distinction representing all sections of the country and several professions. Election to the Hall of Fame requires an affirmative vote of a majority of the entire body of Electors. Following, in order of selection, are the names of the ninety-nine persons honored to date:

<p style="text-align: center;">1900</p> <p>John Adams John James Audubon Henry Ward Beecher William Ellery Channing Henry Clay Peter Cooper Jonathan Edwards Ralph Waldo Emerson David Glasgow Farragut Benjamin Franklin Robert Fulton Ulysses Simpson Grant Asa Gray Nathaniel Hawthorne Washington Irving Thomas Jefferson James Kent Robert Edward Lee Abraham Lincoln Henry Wadsworth Longfellow Horace Mann John Marshall Samuel Finley Breese Morse George Peabody Joseph Story Gilbert Charles Stuart George Washington Daniel Webster Eli Whitney</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1905</p> <p>John Quincy Adams James Russell Lowell Mary Lyon James Madison Maria Mitchell William Tecumseh Sherman John Greenleaf Whittier Emma Willard</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">1910</p> <p>George Bancroft Phillips Brooks William Cullen Bryant James Fenimore Cooper Oliver Wendell Holmes Andrew Jackson John Lothrop Motley Edgar Allan Poe Harriet Beecher Stowe Frances Elizabeth Willard</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1915</p> <p>Louis Agassiz Daniel Boone Rufus Choate Charlotte Saunders Cushman Alexander Hamilton Joseph Henry Mark Hopkins Elias Howe Francis Parkman</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1920</p> <p>Samuel Langhorne Clemens (Mark Twain) James Buchanan Eads Patrick Henry William Thomas Green Morton Alice Freeman Palmer Augustus Saint-Gaudens Roger Williams</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1925</p> <p>Edwin Booth John Paul Jones</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1930</p> <p>Matthew Fontaine Maury James Monroe James Abbott McNeill Whistler Walt Whitman</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">1935</p> <p>Grover Cleveland Simon Newcomb William Penn</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1940</p> <p>Stephen Collins Foster</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1945</p> <p>Sidney Lanier Thomas Paine Walter Reed Booker T. Washington</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1950</p> <p>Susan B. Anthony Alexander Graham Bell Josiah Willard Gibbs William Crawford Gorgas Theodore Roosevelt Woodrow Wilson</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1955</p> <p>Thomas Jonathan "Stonewall" Jackson George Westinghouse Wilbur Wright</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1960</p> <p>Thomas Alva Edison Henry David Thoreau Edward Alexander MacDowell</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1965</p> <p>Jane Addams Oliver Wendell Holmes, Jr. Sylvanus Thayer Orville Wright</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1970</p> <p>Lillian D. Wald Albert Abraham Michelson</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1973</p> <p>Louis Dembitz Brandeis George Washington Carver Franklin Delano Roosevelt John Philip Sousa</p>
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